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Cc: Rocio Hernandez[rocio.hernandez@lacity.org]
From: Paola Bassignana
Sent: Tue 10/29/2019 7:20:03 PM
Subject: Re: Request for 30 min. Interview follow up
[Safe Parking 1-pager Public\(English\) \(1\).pdf](#)

Hi Juan,

Everything you need to answer those questions lives in the following documents:

Homeless Family Resource Hub Briefing Paper: <https://docs.google.com/document/d/1tGdKUdCzpYiKMKzAx-tz8bZI4tpjgENVjBQpGSqUXBs/edit?usp=sharing>

Summary of 2019 Homeless Programs and their

Funding: <https://docs.google.com/document/d/1LXVSB1IibhgS8RY8KQFkBpTFLPf-eHfQZDBoVnHnumk/edit?usp=sharing>

1. As the Area Representative to Sylmar, Mission Hills, and North Hills for Councilwoman Monica Rodriguez, where do you stand on the issue of addressing homelessness in the Northeast San Fernando Valley? [You should know this. It's the crisis of our lifetime that we must prioritize to combat..etc etc.](#)
2. What is the purpose of the recently launched one-stop shop for homeless services with LAUSD and service providers? [In the BP](#)
3. What services are provided at the homeless family resource hub? [In the BP](#)
4. What population is the homeless family resource hub serving? [in the BP--Its homeless families specifically. The organization also does specific outreach to the families living in motels along the Sepulveda corridor.](#)
5. How is this program funded? [In the Summary Doc](#)
6. How do families qualify for this program? [NVCS determines this, so could ask them for more info. However, participants are entered into the Coordinated Entry System \(CES\) to assess their case and the type of services they need/qualify. The CES system is used by service providers regionally to assess and manage service delivery.](#)
7. Since its launch in June 2019, how is this program doing? [The program is very new, so the operating organization is working on providing us with a preliminary report of numbers served and services utilized, but we do not yet have that available.](#)
8. What future plans does Councilwoman Monica Rodriguez have in regard to addressing homelessness? [Have a motion in to find ways to improve how families are served in motels. Currently your experience depends on which motel you end up in; some are better than others \(CF19-1090\). Our office seeks to work with smaller non-profits to empower and grow them to join the battle in ending homelessness. That is what we did with NVCS which had a staff of two and has grown with our support and pilot funding, and we will continue to look for more opportunities to grow that capacity district wide. We also work directly with service providers and meet with them regularly to learn about new challenges that arise and find opportunities to overcome those through policy.](#)
9. As a Registered Nurse and a resident of the city of Sylmar, how can I contribute to this cause? [Volunteer to support any of the fine homeless service organizations helping in the district. When there are community meetings about new Permanent supportive housing projects or other low-income housing, attend and bring others who agree with you to show your support. When you hear generalizations or incorrect information being shared about the crisis, use it as a teachable moment and inform folks](#)

After you've gone through all that, feel free to give me a call if you have further questions.

Best,
Paola

On Tue, Oct 29, 2019 at 9:50 AM Juan Solorio <juan.solorio@lacity.org> wrote:

Hi PB,

I have my meeting today with Bessie Euceda who is inquiring about the one stop shop for homeless services at NVCS. She had sent me a list of questions that I did not see until now. Can we hop on the phone to discuss or can you send me the necessary info.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **BESSIE EUCEDA** [REDACTED]
Date: Thu, Oct 24, 2019 at 9:45 PM
Subject: Re: Request for 30 min. Interview follow up
To: Juan Solorio <juan.solorio@lacity.org>

Mr. Solorio,
See below for the list of questions we will be discussing.

1. As the Area Representative to Sylmar, Mission Hills, and North Hills for Councilwoman Monica Rodriguez, where do you stand on the issue of addressing homelessness in the Northeast San Fernando Valley?
2. What is the purpose of the recently launched one-stop shop for homeless services with LAUSD and service providers?
3. What services are provided at the homeless family resource hub?
4. What population is the homeless family resource hub serving?
5. How is this program funded?
6. How do families qualify for this program?
7. Since its launch in June 2019, how is this program doing?
8. What future plans does Councilwoman Monica Rodriguez have in regard to addressing homelessness?
9. As a Registered Nurse and a resident of the city of Sylmar, how can I contribute to this cause?

Looking forward to meeting with you.

Thank you,

Bessie Euceda, BSN, RN
[REDACTED]

On Oct 23, 2019, at 9:16 AM, Juan Solorio <juan.solorio@lacity.org> wrote:

Bessie,

I look forward to meeting with you on October 29, 2019 from 2:00 pm - 2:30 pm. I would appreciate it if you could forward a list of prepared questions.

We will meet at the Sylmar District Field office at 14117 Hubbard St., #D1, Sylmar, CA 91342.

On Wed, Oct 23, 2019 at 6:56 AM BESSIE EUCEDA <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Good morning,
Just confirming that we have an appointment next Tuesday, October 29th at 2pm.

Thank you,

Bessie Euceda, BSN, RN
[REDACTED]

On Oct 21, 2019, at 4:28 PM, [REDACTED] wrote:

I can be there Tuesday October 29th at 2pm.
Let me know if this works for you.

Thank you,

Bessie Euceda, RN
[REDACTED]

On Oct 21, 2019, at 3:29 PM, Juan Solorio <juan.solorio@lacity.org> wrote:

Bessie,

Would you be able to meet with me next week:

- Tuesday, October 29, 2019 ; anytime after 1:00 pm
- Wednesday, October 30, 2019 ; anytime after 1:00 pm

On Thu, Oct 17, 2019 at 10:06 PM BESSIE EUCEDA

[REDACTED] wrote:

Hi Mr. Solorio,

My name is Bessie Euceda. I am a Registered Nurse in second semester in the Master of Nursing Leadership and Management Program at Mount Saint Mary's University. As part of my "Healthcare Policy" class, I am required to interview a councilman or someone in staff. As a resident in the city of Sylmar, I am honored to be represented by the third Latina to serve on the City Council, Councilwoman Monica Rodriguez. I am very interested on her work in addressing homelessness. I would like to get more information on her recently launched one-stop shop for homeless services in the Northeast San Fernando Valley. I have contacted Councilwoman Monica Rodriguez's office multiple times without success.

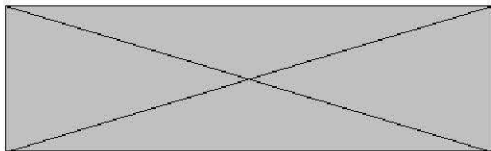
As the Area Representative for Sylmar, are you available to meet with me or direct me to someone in staff that would be available?




Much appreciated,

Bessie Euceda, BSN, RN

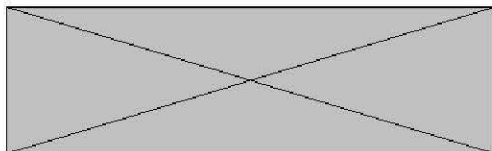





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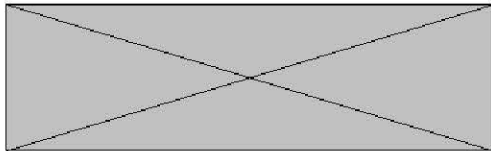
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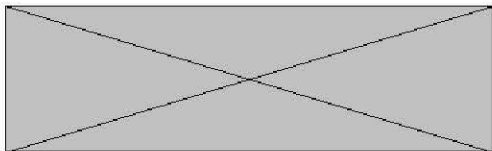
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